

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment revises the multiple dependent claims to be single dependent claims and thus reduce the filing fee for the subject application. No new matter has been added.

Entry of this amendment and favorable consideration of this application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX SHOWING REVISIONS OF CLAIMS

Proposed Amendments To Claim 6 Showing Deletions And Insertions.

Claim 6. (Amended) An agricultural and horticultural insecticide characterized by containing a heterocyclic dicarboxylic acid diamide derivative according to [any one of claims 1 to 5] claim 1 as an active ingredient.